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TAKE NECESSARY STEPS TO AVERT CAR SHORT- AGE IN CALIFORNIA

RAILROAD COMMISSION TO
AVERT SHORTAGE OF CARS
TO HANDLE CALIFORNIA'S
BUMPER CROPS

Active steps have been taken by the California railroad commission to do all in its power to avert the shortage of cars, threatened by the big crops awaiting shipment. The commission has addressed a circular letter to all shippers and receivers of freight, the text of which follows:

"Indications point to a serious car shortage during the next few months when a large number of cars will be required to move California traffic. The carriers are apprehensive that the situation in California will be more acute during the next few months than it has been at any time in the past.

"The commission, therefore, urges that receivers and shippers of freight in carload lots use every effort to unload and load cars in the shortest space of time possible and when possible, to load cars to their full capacity regardless of the minimum weight applying on the commodity shipped, thereby materially reducing the number of cars required to handle California business. It is also urged that in ordering cars shippers should, when possible, advise the carrier from which the cars are ordered, of the quantity of the freight to be moved to afford the carrier an opportunity to more intelligently supply the equipment required for the particular purpose.

"The carriers are requested to handle promptly all carload shipments, to move empty cars to loading points without delay and to promptly repair for service all bad order cars.

"The commission is of the opinion that the fullest cooperation of carriers and shippers is necessary to meet the situation."

The Southern Pacific company is doing all in its power to show shippers the importance of unloading and loading as quickly as possible and wherever and whenever possible the company's agents are working with the shipper that there may be plenty of cars and that equipment may be put to its best use.

In the matter of a misplaced culvert on the Richardson estate at Brand and San Fernando road, an extra meeting was held Monday evening, at which time it was settled to the satisfaction of all parties concerned.

NOTICE

The party who took the September number of Popular Mechanics from the library, Monday night, without the knowledge of the librarian and contrary to the library rules is advised to replace the same immediately.

Several other magazines of late have disappeared in the same manner and the guilty party, if discovered will be severely dealt with.

"A Word To the Wise Is Sufficient"

By MOSS.



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"A stitch in time saves nine." You can save many stitches of expense by keeping posted closely on what our advertisers have to say in this paper.

EXHIBITORS WORKING HARD AT SAN DIEGO

JAPANESE EXHIBIT UNDER WAY.
PAINTED DESERT INHABITATED—OUT-DOOR
MOTOR SHOW

San Diego, Cal.—A corps of Japanese carpenters arrived at the San Diego exposition grounds this week and started work on the Kyosen Kai, the large out-door exhibit of Japan and Formosa, supplementing the industrial exhibit of the orient in the Foreign Arts building—the largest of the foreign exhibits.

"This will be the most typical Japanese display shown in the exhibit," said S. Watanabe, who is directing both in-door and out-door displays. "We will bring our best artists and artisans and craftsmen to San Diego, and all through the year they will be active—not simply displaying Japanese goods, but weaving the finest silks and carving woods and ivores of Japan as only Japanese can do such work. The hemp making, prosaic enough ordinarily, becomes extremely interesting when it is shown in detail, the way in which the hemp is prepared and gradually worked into finished products."

The other side of Japanese life, in the gardens, will dominate in Kyosen Kai, the adobe exhibit adjoining the botanical gardens. Attendants there will be mainly girls from Japan and Formosa. The other big Asian exhibit is the tea plantation of Sir Thomas Lipton, a short distance up the Alameda, where gardeners, laborers and attendants will be men and girls from Ceylon, growing, preparing and serving the first tea raised in the United States.

Passage of the first ship through the canal brought to the San Diego exposition numerous congratulatory telegrams from different sections of east and west. A prime object of the exposition beautiful in southern California is to show the importance to the west in the furnishing of low freight rates to the ports, of which San Diego is the first and the development of railroads to carry goods back and forth between tide-water and the interior. The formal opening of the canal will be on January 1st, the day on which San Diego will open its all-year celebration.

Several women and children from the Ildefonso pueblo arrived this week at San Diego and took up their quarters in the "Painted Desert" which their braves have been building for several weeks. They have added materially to the interest of the pre-exposition visitors, for whose entertainment they have been weaving rugs and making pottery and hammering out metal ornaments. These industries will constitute one of the important features of the 1915 exposition, when the real life of the American red men of many tribes will be lived on the "desert" of the exposition grounds. A large detachment of the Indians will arrive after the crop season.

The great Taos and Zuni pueblos are about completed, their adobe walls discolored in imitation of the ancient structures in New Mexico and Arizona. The row of adobe houses and the reconstructed "Governor's palace" are ready for occupation, and the kivas, or half-buried ceremonial chambers, access to which is obtained by a ladder leading downward from an opening in the thick adobe roof, are waiting for the first of the war dancers.

While the exhibit stands on the isthmus, or amusement street, its accuracy is such that it may be classified as a portion of the ethnology exhibit, the bulk of which is in the great group of permanent buildings by the west approach. A large part of the display from Central and South America is on the grounds and some of it is in place.

The first all-year out-door motor show in history is announced by the San Diego exposition. Instead of having a competitive exhibit, careful selection was made from the field of automobile manufacturers, and one automobile taken from each general class. The one that was selected by a jury of automobile men as the best all-around car of its class. As a result the display on the Alameda, on which most of the out-door exhibits are placed, will be comprehensible to those without technical training and will furnish valuable information to others. All the cars will be shown in actual operation.

TRUSTEES IN REGULAR SESSION TAKE CARE OF USUAL GIST

GAS COMPANY DEMAND RETURN
OF MONEY PAID FOR FRANCHISE, BASING CLAIMS ON
COURT DECISION

The Southern California Gas company demanded the return of \$100 illegally paid in for a gas franchise, basing their claim on a recent Superior Court decision.

The request was referred to the city attorney.

Permission was granted Charles M. Turch to make a drive way for vehicles across the sidewalk at 521 N. Glendale.

C. J. Bruck was granted permission to erect a California house of four rooms at 532 N. Glendale avenue.

Mrs. Mary Edwards and Mrs. Pearl Porter Davis of the Thursday Afternoon club were granted permission to place a drinking fountain where they choose and Dr. Conrad was named to assist them. They will try to locate the fountain on the Bank corner.

C. A. Bancroft asked that the trustees sign an agreement to tear out the culvert on the Richardson property. The request was referred to the city attorney.

Hosea Steelman was granted a permit to keep five horses at 115 E. Eulalia street.

A petition of Hal Davenport and others on Cypress street, asking for a system of ornamental lights was filed.

E. D. Yard was allowed \$1500 for work on the city hall.

N. C. Burch was allowed \$75 for special work of auditing books of the city and bringing all accounts to date. This task involved much back work and took up extra time.

The offer of W. G. Black and N. C. Burch to write insurance on the city hall at 45 cents on the \$100 valuation was accepted.

The speed ordinance, tax ordinance and ordinance changing the name of San Fernando road to San Fernando boulevard were given the third reading and passed.

PYTHIANS EXTEND THE HAND OF HOSPITALITY

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HOLD
OPEN MEETING—MANY VIS-
ITORS PRESENT

Monday evening was open house to every member of Visor Lodge K. of P., and each member was invited to bring as many friends as they desired. It was a "stag" and a large number took advantage of the evening.

The principal speaker of the evening was Grand Chancellor Kenton A. Miller, who spoke very fluently on the principles of Pythianism. Several others made short talks, which were interspersed with songs and musical numbers.

A light lunch, prepared by the committee, was served and cigars and cards and a general good time made up the evening's entertainment.

Nearly every meeting night some new member is initiated into the mysteries of this order and Visor lodge is known throughout Southern California as a growing lodge. The open meetings will in all probability be a regular feature of the lodge and will be advertised with a view of showing visitors the grand lessons of Damon and Pythias.

TROPICO LUNCHEON BRIDGE CLUB

Brown and gold coreopsis decorated the pretty home of Mrs. Archer Lewis on Kenwood avenue last Tuesday afternoon, when she entertained the Tropico Luncheon-Bridge Club.

Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock and an afternoon of bridge followed. Mrs. Chas. M. Turk, who won the highest score, was rewarded with a handsome hand-embroidered towel. The club members present were: Mesdames Wm. Harvey Jr., T. M. T. Richards, Chas. Barker, W. C. Mabry, Leigh Bancroft, C. M. Turk, Mrs. Chas. Barnes, an invited guest for the afternoon, substituted for the absent member.

GET YOUR SLOGAN IN BY SATURDAY

TWO DOLLARS A MINUTE
FOR YOUR TIME

The board of managers of the carnival committee wants the readers of this paper to put on their thinking caps and write a slogan for Tropico. To be used on all advertising during the preparations of the big carnival, and to become universal afterwards. Every person in Tropico is entitled to hand in as many slogans as they desire. The only requirement is that the word "Tropico" shall appear some where in the slogan. Write the slogan and turn it in to the Sentinel office any time up to Saturday, August 29th with your name and address on each one. The board of managers will then select one, and the winner will be presented with a prize of two dollars.

Get busy now and earn the two dollars. It will only take you a minute.

PRIMARIES CALL OUT SMALL PERCENTAGE OF THE VOTERS

JUDGE MELROSE WINS BY BIG
MAJORITY IN TWO CITY PRE-
CINCTS, MILLER SECOND

All night and part of the next day was the record of the election boards in the two city precincts. With five party tickets and each one having many names of candidates it was no snap and for this reason election returns will be slow in coming in for final count.

Reports from Glendale and Burbank state that Harry Miller for Justice of the Peace was their choice. Eagle Rock and Sunland report Melrose in the lead.

The final count will in all probability, put Melrose and Miller on the general election ticket.

The following is the results for the office of Justice of the Peace in Burbank Township.

Melrose	
Precinct 1	Precinct 2
Republican 48	84
Socialist 4	8
Progressive 22	47
Democratic 17	33
Prohibition 4	13
No Party 5	2
Total 103	187

Miller	
Precinct 1	Precinct 2
Republican 26	8
Socialist 4	7
Progressive 13	7
Democratic 7	3
Prohibition 3	3
No Party 8	3
Total 61	21

Showalter	
Precinct 1	Precinct 2
Republican 20	7
Socialist 1	1
Progressive 5	3
Democratic 5	3
Prohibition 1	1
No Party 2	1
Total 33	15

Whitworth	
Precinct 1	Precinct 2
Republican 3	3
Socialist 1	3
Progressive 1	3
Democratic 3	3
Prohibition 2	2
No Party 2	2
Total 9	6

Wilson	
Precinct	
Progressive	1

The Misses Katherine and Dorothy Hobbs, were among the guests of Miss Georgia Duffet, Friday afternoon when she entertained a coterie of young ladies with an afternoon thimble party at her lovely home on Chestnut avenue.

BARNUM & BAILEY WILL SHOW IN LOS AN- GELES NEXT MONTH

WINDOW DISPLAYS ADVERTISING THE
MANY NEW FEATURES ATTRACTS
THE ATTENTION OF KIDS

The Barnum & Bailey Circus this season had a wonderful engagement in Madison Square Garden in March, attracting thousands to New York where the "Greatest Show on Earth" was pronounced by press and public as "the last word to be written in circuses." Barnum & Bailey will exhibit in Los Angeles, September 14, 15 and 16.

Everything is new but the name. America's youth demands with each recurring spring and summer the circus' visitation and it demands that it be none other than Barnum & Bailey's. The youth of this country is not to be denied and when the circus reaches his native heath he never lets up until his parents have pledged their word that he can go to the circus. Then his cup of happiness is complete.

The name Barnum & Bailey is a household phrase and the flashing of those names on the billboards and in the newspaper means to the community more than mere words can explain to countless numbers.

A wonderfully brilliant new feature, this year is "The Wizard Prince of Arabia," a romantic pageant spectacle. Its scenes are from the haunts of the Bedouins to mysterious India, where Prince Abdallah, in the test of stern competition, wins the heart and hand of a king's fair and favorite daughter. This colossal innovation is offered at the opening of the show, thereby doing away with the old stereotyped "grand entree."

More than 1000 people are enlisted in the presentation. The incidental ballet numbers 300 dancing girls. The costumes and the scenic and the scenic and property investiture are on a scale of bewildering magnitude and magnificence. The stage is one of the largest ever constructed. Forty elephants and hundreds of horses and camels are utilized. An innovative feature of the pageant is a march of 350 persons, all playing musical instruments, around the quarter-mile hippodrome course.

This spectacle is followed by a three-hour show in the arena by 350 internationally celebrated acrobats, gymnasts, aerialists, equestrians and hippodrome specialists, and 50 funny clowns, who are right up to the minute. Then there is the mammoth menagerie containing 110 dens of the rarest and costliest animals and hundreds of elephants and camels.

Horses One of the Big Features of Barnum & Bailey Circuses Lovers of horses and horseflesh will be interested in the horses to be seen at the performances of the Barnum & Bailey Circus, "The Greatest Show on Earth," which comes to Los Angeles Sept. 14th.

There are 700 horses of various strains with "The Greatest Show on Earth." There are the blue-blooded lords of the savadust ring, trained and spirited animals. There are the eager, slim-bodied racers that take part in the contests of the hippodrome, and, not the least in importance, are the heavy and powerful Clydesdales and Percherons, which haul the enormous amount of paraphernalia from the circus train to the show grounds and back again.

While the Barnum & Bailey management has not overlooked a single detail this year, particular attention has been given to the arena features and some marvelous acts have been imported from Europe for the circus' showing only. This alone has cost the circus a pretty penny, but the great demand for something new each year has resulted in the circus going across the seas to get it.

New York voted the Barnum & Bailey circus the biggest and best in recent years, and this stamp of approval only strengthens the general belief that in the circus realm there is only one great circus, and that is the Barnum & Bailey organization.

The big free street parade will leave the show grounds promptly at 9 a. m. on the morning of show date. Excursion rates on all railroads.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Becher and Miss Carrie Becker of Central avenue, have just returned from San Diego, where they enjoyed a delightful visit with friends.

TROPICO'S DRINKING FOUNTAIN IS SECURED

AFTER MUCH ADVERTISING AND
TALK TROPICO IS TO HAVE A
PUBLIC DRINKING FOUNTAIN

Arrangements are now completed and in a short time there will be installed somewhere along San Fernando road in Tropico, a drinking fountain for man and beast. A big necessity as well as a humane act. And the outcome of a committee composed of women from various clubs and societies actuated by a thought emanating from the Thursday Afternoon club.

About one year ago the project was inaugurated by the civic committee of the Thursday afternoon club, but actual work to raise the necessary cash was not started until last January, when the civic committee invited the Parent-Teachers' association, The Pythian Sisters, the Woman's Relief Corps and the P. E. O.s to join with them in the formulating of plans to raise the money necessary. The organizations responded heartily and a committee was formed composed of Mrs. Mary W. Edwards, chairman; Mrs. C. A. Barker, Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Wesley Bullis and Mrs. Frank Peters of the Thursday Afternoon club; Mrs. George Peck and Miss Cora Hickman from the Woman's Relief Corps; Mrs. Tiffany, Mrs. George Laird and Miss Blanche Shea from the Pythian Sisters; Mrs. S. A. Pollock and Mrs. Percy De Gaston from the Parents-Teachers' association and Mrs. Dr. Conrad from the P. E. O.s.

This complete committee finally decided to produce some play. Mrs. Wayland Brown consented to drill a cast of home talent and "Just Out of College" a farce-comedy by George Ade was accepted.

To drill a company of some 30 people was no small undertaking but Mrs. Brown proved her worth and after six weeks of work and study, (which proved to be play), the comedy was presented at the Glendale High school on two evenings, \$35 was realized. On June 27 the play was produced in Tropico at the K. P. hall. The Knights of Pythias donating the use of the hall. Later the cast motored to Burbank where they again put on "Just Out of College." Mr. Eudemiller of the Star theatre gave a benefit and the fund was \$64. The citizens then were approached for a donation and the balance of the money was produced.

The committee consulted with the Los Angeles Humane society in regards to a suitable fountain and finally accepted a replica of the fountain at Sixth and Hill streets. This type is constructed of cast iron with a cement base, made by the Llewellyn Iron Works at a cost of \$115.

Mrs. Moniot gave permission to the committee to erect the fountain at the corner of Fernando court and San Fernando boulevard, while the trustees and several citizens has asked that the Bank corner be considered.

Permission from the trustees has been secured and as soon as a suitable place can be settled on the fountain will be installed. It is the intention of the committee to have the fountain in readiness in time for the carnival in October.

Who says the women can't do something for Tropico?

SUNDAY'S BALL GAME WAS SURE A HARD FOUGHT BATTLE

TROPICO LOSES TO LOS AN-
GELES ELECTRICS IN HARD-
FOUGHT BATTLE

Tropico lost a hard-fought 12-inning game to the fast Los Angeles Railroad nine by the close score of 4 to 3. There was no scores till the third, when the railroad boys sent three over and the Tropico boys tied the score in the sixth, when Sissney started a rally with a two-base hit. From that on till the first half of the twelfth both pitchers pitched shut-out ball, but two hits in that frame brought in the winning run for the railroad boys.

Tropico tried hard in their half to even things up, but by good support, Wells, the railroad pitcher, held the Tropico boys down. The line-up was as follows:

Tropico—Mason, 2b.; Eves, lf.; Sissney, 1b.; Flores, ss.; Farnier, c.; Gabaig, rf.; Bidwel, 3b.; Rich, cf.; Oliver, p.; Laird.

Los Angeles Electrics—Miller, 3b.; Steiner, 1b.; Lewis, ss.; Wells, p.; Schmidt, lf.; Richard, 2b.; Rodgers, cf.; S. Wait, c.; Lane, rf.

MEETING IN INTEREST OF DRY FEDERATION

SAN FERNANDO VALLEY CHRISTIAN
ENDEAVORS WILL HOLD MEET-
ING AT HIGH SCHOOL

There will be an important meeting in the interest of the California dry campaign at the Glendale Union high school at 8 o'clock next Tuesday evening, Sept. 1, 1914. Dr. Guy Wadsworth, general superintendent of the State Dry Federation; Mr. Needham, county superintendent of the federation, and Mr. C. E. Murdock, temperance superintendent of the county Christian Endeavor Union, are the well known workers who will speak. The Glendale Presbyterian church orchestra and male quartette will furnish the special music for the evening.

The meeting is under the auspices of the San Fernando Valley C. E. union, but all young people's societies have been invited to cooperate with the Endeavorers and every one is welcome. Young people's societies of the state are among the most active workers in the campaign and the societies of Burbank, La Crescenta, Eagle Rock, Tropico and Glendale are willing to do their share in removing the blot of licensed saloons from fair California. Signed by Carol Duncan, secretary of the S. F. V. C. E. U.

OPENING HIGH SCHOOL

The high school students will meet for organization of class on Tuesday, Sept. 8th. All students are expected to enroll and give in their study list in advance.

Those who have not done this or who wish to make any changes in study list already filed are requested to do so between Monday, Aug. 31, and noon, Saturday, Sept. 5. Saturday afternoon and Monday, Sept. 7, are reserved for teachers' work.

(Signed) GEO. U. MOYSE,
Principal.



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NOTICE

Every citizen of Tropico is invited to use the columns of this paper, and you are urged to do so. All articles must be in this office not later than Tuesday and must bear signature of writer.

Mr. H. T. Stoll is a member of the State Viticultural Commission and also president of the California Grape Protective Association.

He is putting in some pretty strong licks for the liquor interests against the dry proposition. In Vol. II. of the Bulletins of the Commission, page 312, Mr. Stoll tells how the wine men use Jap and Hindu labor, and now propose to get in European pauper labor from Southern Europe to help them out. He says:

"One of the most serious difficulties which we must overcome if we hope to successfully compete with France, Italy, Germany, Spain and Portugal in the wine market of the world is the labor problem. This fall, pickers are at a premium in the vineyards, and as a result prohibitive prices had to be paid to Japs, Hindoos and other available help. But with the opening of the Panama Canal it is expected that the influx of immigration from Southern Europe will help to adjust the vexing problem."

One-half of the acreage in California grape growing is devoted to raisin and table grapes. Of the other half eighty per cent is owned by corporations which comprise the wine trust. The remaining twenty per cent is cultivated by farmers, who are compelled to sell their grapes to the trust at ruinous prices. They might as well vote the state dry and raise table grapes at a profit to themselves instead of the arrogant trust.

NO STOCK FOR SALE

By William C. Anderson

A few days ago the attorney for, or an officer of the United States Express Company announced that the company would distribute its surplus of \$20,000,000 among its stockholders and then quit. This, after fifty years of successful operating, causes one to wonder what is the matter with "big business."

The outstanding stock of the company is \$10,000,000 with no outstanding bonds. From this it will be readily seen that the company was a howling success, and that its suspension is not because it is or was on the rocks. Quite the reverse; it has earned (?) two for one, besides the millions it has paid to its stockholders in dividends. Its stock has sold as high as \$1.45.

It would appear that there is a picket in the fence, or a ground squirrel in the wood pile, when a concern of such magnitude quits colder than an ice floe.

To have made such a success, the concern must have been piloted on the sea of ninety million confiding boobies. The pilots must have been big men, for they have sense enough to quit while the quitting is good. The hand writing is on their wall.

To continue the business would probably mean disaster.

When the company started business there was not a mail delivery within one to fifty miles of the farmers' homes. The farmers toiled and dwelled in isolation. The rancher of those days was dead to the outside world. When he read newspapers he read of events that had long since been forgotten by the tenement dwellers. He didn't know whether corn, hay or wheat was worth the grinding or two dollars a bushel, without driving his team to death to find out. And, at other times, he had to drive the team and himself to the point of exhaustion to get his products to the market before a decline in price would occur. There was no other way. He could not get into communication with anyone but his wife and his hired help.

Now there isn't a farmer in this broad land who doesn't get the market prices on the minute. Rural routes bring the world's news to his little tin box at the front gate. His little necessities are delivered by parcels post, and, at a fair rate for carrying. He does not have to pay forty prices for delivery. He does not have to help make a lot of non-producing stockholders rich, but he does get the benefit of what all of the people can do when they once sicken of being the goat.

We have made ourselves partners in the parcels post, and we get our dividends in just rates. We have become part of the system of justice, fair dealing, and the help one another idea.

We are stockholders, if we will only assert our rights, in a bigger thing than the parcels post. We are stockholders in the biggest institution in all this world, the United States of America.

His business, and little business as well, is a good thing. It makes for progress. But when it outgrows itself and gets too big it cannot compete with 90,000,000 little men when they get together and say "Give us what is right and we will pay what is just."

Overgrown concerns are caving in under the just and determined demands of all the people. They are dividing among them what came from all the people. And the real nice thing about it, they are quitting and we, all the people, are starting up and we have no stock for sale.

PROGRESS ON THE BOOKLET

Great progress is being made on the beautifully illustrated Tropico booklet which will be published in time for the big October carnival.

By far the greater portion of the material to be used has been written and people are responding admirably by giving subscriptions for not less than five and as many as 50 copies.

This booklet deserves the support of every citizen of Tropico. It will be printed in colors, will be illustrated with halftones showing beautiful streets and buildings of this city and it will contain no advertising whatever. The cost of publishing this booklet will be very high and it will be necessary to sell the entire 7500 in order to realize on the thing at all.

While merchants, real estate and professional men will probably subscribe more than the average run, the success depends upon every man, woman and child. Copies of the booklet cost but 10 cents and it will require but 50 cents to secure five of these to send back east to your friends who might be interested in Tropico.

This is not a commercial, money-making proposition, but a worthy enterprise to advertise the city. One thousand copies will be placed in the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce alone and a large number will be kept here to be mailed out to those who write here for information.

The makers of this booklet ask favors of no one. Usually in a case such as this the merchants and business men are coerced into contributing \$50 and \$100 in money, but this is not true of the Tropico booklet.

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SECOND CHILDHOOD

By William C. Anderson.

In Chicago there is a very old man; Marquis de La Fayette is the old gentleman's name. He lives at the James C. King Home for Old Men and is nearly 100 years of age. In fact, he was born the same year that J. Q. Adams became president of the United States.

When one hears something of the life of this old man, still young and the flint of youth still in him, it arouses interest. It gives the lie to second childhood.

Second childhood is a humbug. It is nothing more nor less than a condition of mind. A man can be in his second childhood at 50 or he can be in it at 97. It all depends on his line of thought. In other words, the thing is a process of mental decay brought on by enmity, selfishness, discords and mental wars. It is death invited in all its prematureness.

Marquis de La Fayette hasn't reached that stage in 97 years. His life hasn't been a parade of theories. He hasn't gone astray through any set rules or suggestions as to what he should or should not do to live to be 100. He is just living to reach a century mark and while he lives he entertains little children who are no younger in spirit than himself. He enjoys his pipe and when his playmates are at school he feeds peanuts to the squirrels in Lincoln Park. He has beaten the game of second childhood by never having harrassed, tired or labored his mind over the problem of reaching a mellow age. The lascivious spirit is not the spirit of Marquis de La Fayette. He has never encumbered himself with oppressive thoughts. He has never carried an incubus of ethical theories. He just lives and lives and lives, all the while making friends of little children and little squirrels that live in the park, and putting up sound arguments when grown persons stop to chat with him.

Many regard him as a curiosity on account of his years and sharp intellect, but he isn't a curiosity; he is just a living example of what pure thoughts will do toward longevity.

Why marvel when a man lives to be 100? It is more natural to live that long than it is to invite death at 20, 40 or 60.

Our scientists would do more toward longevity by getting in touch with this one old man than all of the hygienic rules that can be placed before us.

BORDER BALLAD.

March, march, Ettrick and Terv-

otdale!

Why the de'il dinna ye march

forward in order?

March, march, Eskdale and Lidd-

esdale!

All the Blue Bonnets are over

the border!

Many a banner spread

Flutters above your head,

Many a crest that is famous in

story!

Mount and make ready, then,

Sons of the mountain glen!

Fight for the queen and our old

Scottish glory!

Come from the hills where your

hirsels are grazing;

Come from the glen of the buck

and the roe;

Come to the crag where the bea-

con is blazing;

Come with the buckler, the lance

and the bow.

Trumpets are sounding;

War steeds are bounding.

Stand to your arms and march

in good order.

England shall many a day

Tell of the bloody fray

When the Blue Bonnets came

over the border.

—Sir Walter Scott.

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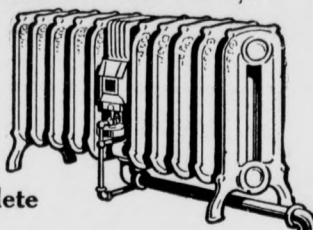
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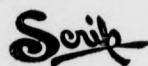
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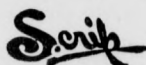


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Russell Harrison, who was injured several days ago by being run down by an auto truck, is pronounced out of danger. Russell is at the Tropic hospital.

Mr. McCombs, member of the firm of McCombs Bros., doing the street work on Brand boulevard, is suffering from a compound fracture of the wrist, sustained in an auto accident several days ago.

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Wm. Wibletz is enjoying a motor trip to Sacramento. During his absence Sam Rich is doing the honors on the truck.

The stork called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Denver Markwith, 125 West Tropic avenue, last Thursday morning and presented them with a 9½-pound boy.

Mrs. O. R. Rosander, Miss Mildred and Miss Helen Rosander of Holdrege, Nebr., and Mrs. A. F. Stennett of McCook, Nebr., were visitors at the home of G. A. Dodson on Oak drive during the past week.

An operation performed on little Miss Kuck, who was seriously injured in an auto accident two weeks ago, by Dr. Mabry last Monday was a success in every way and her complete recovery is now a certainty. With her mother, who was also slightly injured, Miss Kuck is at the home of Mrs. Boring on Blanche avenue.

Mr. Marek, the driver of the car, has also practically recovered.

See Robinson Bros. about Scrip

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A merry party motored from Tropic to Griffith Park last Friday, and enjoyed a picnic there under the mammoth trees. It consisted of Mrs. H. W. Duncan and son, Arthur, of Los Angeles; Dr. Fred West of Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Myers, Dr. A. M. Duncan and daughters, Misses Lois and Carol; and the Misses Ida and Harriet Meyers.

Mrs. Charles Finley and her two small sons, Elmo and Billy, are now at Hermosa Beach, where their summer home has just been finished. They expect to return to Tropic about the middle of September.

Mrs. Wayland Chapman of El Bonito avenue entertained Tuesday, Aug. 20, with an informal midday dinner. The following guests enjoyed her generous hospitality: Her mother, Mrs. Fannie Sutherland, and sister, Mrs. J. S. Dehnell, with her infant daughter Caroline; Mrs. Charles Golliday and two children, John and Lorena of Claremont, and Mrs. Leon Parker, with her three small daughters, Lulu Brandon, Edith and Leona, of Ontario.

Travel on Scrip see Robinson Bros.

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Mrs. Paine and her three youngest sons, Carl, Dolphin and Lewis, returned home Sunday from a two weeks' stay at Ocean Park. They all feel much refreshed and benefited from the trip.

Dr. Fred West of Beaumont was the guest of Dr. A. M. Duncan and family last week.

Miss Carol Duncan of San Fernando place, entertained Thursday, August 20th, with a prettily appointed luncheon. Place cards were laid for the following: Misses Gladys Larimer, Marie Sweet and Eunice Garret of Los Angeles, and Miss Lois Duncan and the hostess.

The Tropic Thursday Afternoon club have issued invitations for a dance to be given Saturday night, August 29, in the Masonic hall in Glendale. The charge is 75 cents a couple and the money will be put towards the new club house.

After a two weeks' stay at San Diego and Coronado, the Misses and Elsie Anderson, returned home Thursday evening.

What is Scrip? See Robinson Bros.

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Invitations are out for a picnic to be given Thursday evening by the Messrs. Joe Wilson and Hal McNutt at Griffith Park. The most popular of Tropic's young people have been invited.

THE MEANEST MAN

Bill Nye had the truth well told when he said: "A man may use a wart on the back of his neck for a collar button, ride in the back coach of a railroad train to save interest on his money 'till the conductor gets around, stop his watch at night to save wear and tear, leave his 'I' or 'U' without a dot or cross to save ink, pasture his mother's grave to save corn, but the man of this kind is a gentleman and a scholar compared to the fellow that will take a newspaper a year and when asked to settle for it puts it back into the postoffice and marks it 'refused.'"

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Sudden are enjoying an outing at Switzer's camp on Mt. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Ross left Wednesday, Aug. 26, for their home in Texas. Mrs. Ross has been residing in Tropic for the past two years with her daughter, Mrs. Barrie Greenwell, whose recent death has broken up her home. Mrs. Ross' many friends deeply regret her going.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Goodsell and little daughter Gladys of 134 West Palmer avenue have just returned from a six weeks' stay in the San Bernardino mountains. Mr. Goodsell, who is an instructor in science in one of the Los Angeles schools, spent some time in a study of the mountain flora of that region. He has several fine pictures taken while among the pines.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Van Etten of El Bonito avenue, and children, Frances and Billy, who have been staying in Casa Verdugo since August 15th are expected home Saturday, August 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar left Monday for a much needed rest and vacation. They expect to be away for about two weeks.

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Harold Benner conducting the Tropic Cyclery is a new advertiser in the columns of the Sentinel. Harold has opened a completely stocked establishment at 519 Victor court and will attend to the wants of all bicycle riders in Tropic. He carries a full line of tires and sundries and is prepared to do expert repair work. He has secured the agency for the Cadillac Motor bike, the Overland, Appeal and Racycle bicycles, besides handling second-hand machines. Every rider of a bicycle should remember Harold when in need of repairs or sundries.

DANCING PARTY

In honor of the young people whom she so recently chaperoned at a week's house party at Balboa, Mrs. J. A. Logan, assisted by Mr. Logan and Miss Mary Logan, entertained Friday evening with a dancing party at her home on Central avenue.

The house was indeed beautiful and filled with the fragrance of many freshly cut flowers from her lovely garden. Music for the evening was furnished by home talent and all the latest popular songs and dances filled the young people with a desire to do nothing but dance.

Refreshments were served at a late hour and not until the wee small hours of the morning did anyone think of going home, and then merely so as not to wear out their welcome. The invited guests were the Misses Olive Moffitt, Esther and Eunice Jones, Lynn McNutt, Dorothy and Katherine Hobbs, Blanch Shea and the Messrs. Hal McNutt, Joe Wilson, Dwight Stephenson, Cecil Crandall, Noble Riply.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

The lawns and grounds surrounding the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chapman were the scene of a merry children's party Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 25th, when Mrs. Chapman entertained a number of out of town as well as home guests to celebrate the sixth birthday of their little son, Wayland, Jr. Merry peals of laughter were heard all up and down El Bonito avenue as the youngsters frolicked and played the usual children's games on the lawn.

After a gay time on the front lawn the little folks formed in line and grand marched around to the back yard, where a low table and 15 small chairs awaited them. They were seated under a canopy from which clothespins dressed to represent mother goose characters dangled in the air. A small wagon loaded with hay, drawn by a gray horse, formed the centerpiece of artistically decorated table and small sets of a rack, hoe and shovel were the favors which delighted each small heart. French pastries, a lovely birthday cake and brick ice cream were served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Fannie Sutherland, and sister, Mrs. J. S. Dehnell. Before departing with reluctant steps the following children put their names and birthdays in a small book, one of Junior's birthday gifts: Luella and Gertrude Ashton, Charles Phillips, Elmo and Bill Finely, Doris Cook, Claire Sharp, Jerome Lawton, Dolphin Paine, Earl Clemens of Tropic and Caroline Dehnell, Lorena and John Golliday of Claremont, Lulu Brandon, Edith and Lena Parker of Ontario.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Glendale. Services in the Masonic Hall on Brand Boulevard, Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Reading room, Parker & Sternberg Bldg., 415½ Brand Blvd., open daily from 12 to 4 p. m.

What Are You Doing Towards Making the Carnival a Success

The following sketch of Tropic history was copied from an issue of the Sentinel published in 1911, and the view was taken in 1905 when Tropic was a berry field. The vast changes in the past nine years only goes to show what great possibilities the future has in store for us. With the completion of nearly \$100,000.00 worth of improvements the proposed carnival only makes possible an almost improbable future. We can make Tropic at this time if you help, and you and you

"The site of the old town of Tropic 30 years ago was little more than a barley field. It was constituted of portions of the 'Dreyfus Tract' and the Rancho Santa Eulalia, parts of two of the tracts into which the great Rancho San Rafael of the Verdugos has been partitioned—the Verdugos, whose ancestor, Don Josea Maria Verdugo, a corporal of the San Gabriel Mission Guard, received it, in 1774, by grant from the king of Spain for a cattle range (ranchito). At the time of the American occupation, or advent of the 'Gringos' its value was about 25 cents, or a drink of whisky an acre—the price at which some of its grantees acquired large slices of it.

"In 1884-5 the Dreyfus tract was acquired by a syndicate and subdivided into parcels of 10 to 40 acres, or small holdings, sold off to easterners and planted in vines and trees.

"As the crow flies, the City of Tropic is five miles due north of the old Plaza of the Pueblo of Los Angeles. Its southwesterly limits correspond to the northeasterly limits of the city of Los Angeles, marked by the railway line of the Southern Pacific Company.

"It will be seen from the view that there are still large areas of vacant lands in and adjacent to the city of Tropic, eminently desirable for homes, and next to the man without a country entitled to commiseration is the man without a home in the part of the great San Fernando valley, of which the city of Tropic is the center of business activity and home development.

"Much of the territory of the city is to the north of and east of the Tropic hills, from the westerly brow of which the 'view' was taken, and is not therein shown. The greater part of it is acreage, but is being subdivided into desirable roomy lots.

"In the south part of the city is the recent addition to and included within its corporate limits, the Richardson tract. This is perhaps the most attractive subdivision into city lots of any tract in the city. In the last summer it has experienced a fair growth in the addition of a number of handsome residences."

Your attention is called to the paper being circulated for donations for carrying out the carnival plans and it is earnestly requested that you aid the Carnival Committee to the best of your financial ability. It will require the hearty co-operation of every public spirited citizen if the Carnival is to be a success.





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A DAY OF QUESTIONS.

Matthew 22:15-22—Aug. 30.

"Render therefore unto Caesar the things that
are Caesar's, and unto God the things that
are God's."—Verse 21.

TODAY'S Study shows that the wicked vine-dressers, the unready guests, were so enamored of their own methods and theories as to be really blinded to the beauty of the Divine Plan as expressed by Jesus. Perceiving that His teachings were influencing the masses, the worldly-wise (and spirit-blind) Scribes and Pharisees, who knew the inconsistencies of their own teachings, thought that they could set up as inconsistent the teachings of Jesus. To this end they set amongst the multitude some of their followers, to ask questions and to seek to entrap Jesus, and thus to discredit Him with the people.

The first of these was to entrap Jesus into saying something that would lead to His arrest as a seditious person, teaching contrary to Caesar's law. On the other hand, if He advocated Caesar's law, they thought that thus He would antagonize the public sentiment.

Jesus had a wisdom from Above. In answer to their query, "Is it lawful to give tribute unto Caesar or not?"

He replied, "Why do ye tempt Me, ye hypocrites? Show Me the tribute money." And they brought Him a penny. And He saith unto them, "Whose is this image and superscription?" They said, "Caesar's." Then saith He unto them, "Render therefore unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's; and unto God the things that are God's." No wonder they marveled at such an answer!

"The Things That Are Caesar's." Nor can we say that the Master dodged the question shrewdly. His answer was the truth, in every sense of the word fully in harmony with all His teachings. His followers were instructed not to be seditious, not to be quarrelsome, fault-finding, but to be thankful, holy, happy, subject to "the powers that be." They were to recognize that these powers are ordained of God, and not merely of men.

True, indeed, earthly kingdoms are not God's kingdoms, as sometimes they claim. True, indeed, they sometimes foster sin, iniquity, unrighteousness, and are largely, from outward appearance, the result of human scheming and wickedness. Nevertheless, God's people are to recognize that Jehovah is the great Over-Lord; and that He exercises such a supervision of human affairs as justifies the statement that He ordains, authorizes, permits, these kingdoms. Whatever, therefore, none of His obedient children should think for even a moment of resisting or over-throwing.

In the case of the Roman Empire, of which Caesar was head, centuries before God had foretold through the prophecy of Daniel its rise to universal dominion. It was not, therefore, for Jesus or any of His disciples to speak against representatives of that Roman power. If Rome ruled, Rome should be supported; and the method of support was, properly enough, through taxation. How just, then, were Jesus' words! We remember that the Master Himself paid tribute, instructing St. Peter, when they had no money, to catch a fish, and from its mouth obtain the coin necessary for his taxation and that of Jesus.

Render Unto God His Due. Had the questioners been intent upon rendering to God their obligation due Him, they would have been in no different frame of mind than, instead of seeking to entrap Jesus in His words, they would have been glad to be His disciples. What things, then, are God's? We answer that as His creatures we are His. Every talent and power we possess ought to be used in the service of our Creator and for His praise.

Additionally, we who recognize the fact that by nature we are sinners, and that God's mercy has provided a redemption through Christ, should gladly present our bodies a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable unto God. This reasonable service is accentuated when we realize that God purposes to bless the whole world with the privilege of restitution to all that was lost by Adam and redeemed at Calvary.

When we learn that the call of this Gospel Age is with a view to permitting Jesus' followers to be His associates in His Messianic Kingdom, we should be filled with reverence and astonishment. Realizing the possibilities of such a change of nature and attainment of glory, honor and immortality, we should realize that it is unworthy of Divine acceptance, save for the merit of Jesus' sacrifice.

But we must not render unto Caesar the things that are God's. "No man can serve two masters." Hence to serve the Lord with all our mind, soul and strength, to render Him His dues, means to put ourselves crosswise with the sentiment of the world. This is the real test of Christian character—"God first."

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"You are a liar!"

"And so are you!"

"Oh, how I hate you!"

"And I'd like to kill you!"

"And what kind of talk is this between brother and sister?" demanded the peddler as he stepped inside the house.

"There, I'm glad somebody has listened and knows just how mean you are!" exclaimed Cynthia to Abe.

"But what's it all about?" asked the peddler.

WHAT A PEDDLER DID

By M. QUAD

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"There, I'm glad somebody has listened and knows just how mean you are!" exclaimed Cynthia to Abe.

"But what's it all about?" asked the peddler.

"No woman will have me as long as she is around, and you can't blame her," added Abe. "Just take a square look at her, will you?"

"And then take a square look at him, will you?"

The peddler helped himself to a chair and sat down, with his hands on his knees, and took a long look at both in turn. Then he uttered a whistling "w-h-e-w!" and added:

"It's awful—just awful!"

"You mean her?" said Abe.

"You mean him?" added Cynthia.

"Um, um! It's which and whether, I guess. So you quarrel about getting married?"

They both nodded their heads.

"You are right when you see no chances."

No response.

"Unless you make it an object for me to help you out," finished the peddler.

"What do you mean?" was chorused.

"Sit down and let's talk. Now, then, the first thing is to recognize the fact that neither man nor woman is going to fall in love with you and marry you out of affection."

Brother and sister sighed drearily.

"But one of you can get a wife and the other a husband, just the same, if the scheme is worked right. Just about one marriage out of seven is a love affair. In the other cases it's money that talks."

"You have a scheme. Let's hear it."

"Not so fast. If I can marry you both off I want \$50 each."

"You shall have it."

"And you must do exactly as I tell you to."

For an hour the peddler's scheme was discussed, and he then resumed his way.

The Barnes farm was on a main highway, and somebody was passing every few minutes. One morning farmers driving to the village two miles beyond pulled their teams up short at an unwonted sight. Abe and his sister were digging with pick and spade in a grove near the road. They had evidently been at work since midnight, for there were several holes in which a calf could have been buried.

"Hey, Abe, are you digging a well there?" was called, but neither Abe nor his sister pretended to hear.

What one farmer said to himself as he drove on half a dozen did, and that was:

"By thunder, but I thought that tin peddler was gassing when he told of buried treasure on the Barnes farm. Abe and his sister must have got a plunger and are digging for it. Consummated! If they find it they order be made to divide."

That peddler did his work well over three counties. On the fifth day of the digging a widower came twenty miles to look Cynthia over. He shook his head and backed off, but heard some one whisper that the treasure amounted to \$1,000,000 in gold. He therefore drew a long breath, braced up and said to Cynthia:

"It is love at first sight with me."

"But we may not find the money," she replied.

"It is a wife to love me and no money," he gallantly lied. And inside of four days they were married.

It was the day after Cynthia's wedding that a widow with an eye to business came driving up in a one horse wagon and got audience with Abe to say:

"I'm hunting for the right kind of a man."

"But I am as homely as a thistle patch," he replied.

"Not in my eyes."

"If we find the treasure it will be near \$1,000,000, but we may not find it."

"Do me the justice, sir, to believe that I don't care whether you find it or not."

Abe and Cynthia got their mates, all right, and the peddler got his commission, and the treasure was never found. Were they happy marriages? Echo answers nothing!

THE KITCHEN CUPBOARD

VEGETABLE PIES.

VEGETABLES are nice served in pies. Not all vegetables, of course, are suited for this purpose, but those which are most easily digested may be used. If you prefer meat cut in small pieces may be added to the vegetables. Either fresh or cold meat may be used. This makes the pies richer.

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Novel Pastry.

Onion Pie.—Slice six onions and put them into a frying pan with butter enough to fry them. Add a cupful of milk and cream combined in equal quantities. Thicken with flour moistened with cold milk and add half a teaspoonful of salt and a saltspoonful of pepper. Bake a pie crust in a pie plate. Fill the crust with the onions and set in the oven until the top is brown. No upper crust is used.

Sweet Potato Pie.—Take one pound of mashed potatoes which have been rubbed through a colander, one-half a pound of butter creamed, two cups of white sugar, six eggs, whites and yolks beaten separately, one lemon squeezed into the potato while hot, one teaspoonful of nutmeg and one teaspoonful of mace. Mix and bake same as ordinary pie. This makes a nice dessert.

Mushroom Pie.—A delicious pie is made of cold sliced potatoes and mushrooms. Put them in alternate layers in a dish, season well with pepper and salt and cover with puff paste and then bake.

Savory Side Dishes.

Potato and Onion Pie.—Take six potatoes and boil in salted water. When done mash fine and while hot add a lump of butter, half a cupful of sweet milk, a spoonful of minced sage and a little pepper. Mix all together, adding more salt if needed. Rub the sides and bottom of the baking dish with butter and pour in the mixture, smoothing carefully. Dot the top of the pie with bits of butter, or thin slices of bacon may be used instead. Bake until of a nice brown color.

Nut and Vegetable Pie.—Take a cupful of lima beans, one cupful of almonds and peanuts mixed, one cupful of thin white sauce, two hard boiled eggs, two onions sliced, six potatoes and salt and pepper to season. Wash and peel the potatoes, cook the beans and potatoes and blanch the nuts. Place a layer of beans in the bottom of the baking dish, then a layer of nuts and egg, followed by a layer of diced potatoes. Repeat until the materials have been used. Pour over all the white sauce, cover the top with the mashed potato, brush over with egg and milk and bake for thirty minutes in a hot oven.

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By MOSS.

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Call up our advertising department RIGHT NOW for TIPS ON DISPLAY ADVERTISING. Let us dress up a window for you in this paper.

ORDINANCE NO. 87

"AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TROPICO CHANGING THE NAME OF SAN FERNANDO ROAD TO SAN FERNANDO BOULEVARD."

The Board of Trustees of the City of Tropico do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That the name of that certain street designated and marked and known as San Fernando Road in the City of Tropico, between the southerly boundary line of said City and the northwesterly boundary line of said City, be, and the same is hereby changed to San Fernando Boulevard, and that said Street shall hereafter be known and referred to as San Fernando Boulevard.

Section 2. It is hereby provided that any and all ordinances, proceedings and resolutions heretofore passed or adopted by or on behalf of the City of Tropico pertaining to said Street, Road or Highway naming the same as San Fernando Road shall apply to and appertain to said Street hereby named San Fernando Boulevard.

Section 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance by a vote of four-fifths (4-5) of all the members of the Board of Trustees of said City of Tropico and its approval by the president of said Board, and shall cause said Ordinance to be published once in the Tropico Interurban Sentinel, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in said City of Tropico, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in force.

Adopted and approved this 20th day of August, 1914.

(SEAL.) JAMES RICH,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropico.

NELSON C. BURCH,
City Clerk of the City of Tropico.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, CITY OF TROPICO—SS.

I, Nelson C. Burch, City Clerk of the City of Tropico, do hereby certify

fy that the whole number of members of the Board of Trustees is five, and that the foregoing Ordinance was passed and adopted by a vote of four-fifths of all its members and approved by the president of said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 20th day of August, 1914, and that the same was passed by the following vote:

AYES: Trustees Boyce, Conrad, Henry, Rich, Webster.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

NELSON C. BURCH,
City Clerk of the City of Tropico.

(August 26, 1914—11)

ORDINANCE NO. 85

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 12 OF ORDINANCE NO. 5, BEING AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE SPEED OF ALL VEHICLES AND THE USE THEREOF ON PUBLIC STREETS IN THE CITY OF TROPICO, AND FIXING THE PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF, ADOPTED APRIL 14, 1911.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Tropico do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That Section 12 of Ordinance No. 5, being "An Ordinance regulating the speed of all vehicles, and the use thereof on public streets in the City of Tropico, and fixing the penalty for the violation thereof," adopted April 14, 1911, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 12. That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by a fine of not less than \$3.00 nor more than \$30.00, or by imprisonment in the County Jail in the County of Los Angeles for a period of not more than 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and its approval by the president of the Board of Trustees of said City of Tropico, and shall cause said Ordinance to be published once in the Tropico Interurban Sentinel, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in said City of Tropico, and thereupon and thereafter it shall be in full force and effect.

Adopted and approved this 20th day of August, 1914.

(SEAL.) JAMES RICH,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropico.

NELSON C. BURCH,
City Clerk of the City of Tropico.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, CITY OF TROPICO—SS.

I, Nelson C. Burch, City Clerk of the City of Tropico, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was passed and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropico and approved by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 20th day of August, 1914, and that the same was passed by the following vote:

AYES: Trustees Boyce, Conrad, Henry, Rich and Webster.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

NELSON C. BURCH,
City Clerk of the City of Tropico.

(Aug. 26, 1914, 11)

ORDINANCE NO. 86

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TROPICO FIXING THE AMOUNT OF MONEY NECESSARY TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION UPON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY THEREIN AS A REVENUE TO CARRY ON THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF SUCH CITY FOR THE CURRENT YEAR.

The Board of